

DISPATCHES NOT SENT BY ATTACHE

Major Longhorne, Recalled From Berlin, Says Only Messages He Sent Were in Code. Major Lawton Recalled.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Interest in the recall of Maj. George T. Longhorne, military attache at Berlin, was intensified Thursday by the discovery that Maj. Edward P. Lawton, retired, military attache in Switzerland, also has been recalled. The war department withholds its reasons.

Sec'y of State Bryan caused the recall of Maj. Longhorne because dispatches came from Berlin signed with his name and containing strong pro-German statements. This government is now satisfied that Maj. Longhorne did not send the dispatches and that "someone in Germany" made use of his name.

It is not clear whether the dispatches were intended to create sentiment for Germany or to embarrass Maj. Longhorne. The latter is possible, because they came by wireless, there being no cable in operation and consequently came to the attention of the English and French authorities. It is denied, however, that these governments made formal representations to the United States.

Maj. Longhorne has informed the war department that the only dispatches he sent were in code. The two which caused the trouble were in English. They were not confined to military topics, but dealt also with diplomatic and political questions of the highest importance. They magnified the achievements of the German army and navy and minimized the efforts of the allies. Being signed with the name of a neutral military observer they were of the utmost significance.

The suspicion of this government that there was something wrong with the dispatches was caused by a blunder in addressing one of them to the "War college, Annapolis." There is no such institution in Annapolis, and no one in the military service would make such a mistake. An investigation was made at once. Because of the delicacy of the issues involved it was decided to recall Maj. Longhorne to Washington.

Maj. Longhorne is now attached to the war college here, where he is writing a report on his observations in the war.

The recall of Maj. Lawton has given rise to the belief that the war department wants information about the working of the Swiss military system with the idea of applying some features of it in this country.

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RESIDENTS TOLD TO DEPART FROM CRACOW

Believed That Russians Will Make an Attempt to Capture Town.

VIENNA, (via Berlin and Amsterdam), March 26.—Recognizing that the Russians will now bend their efforts to crossing the Duna river and besieging Cracow, the civilian inhabitants have been asked to leave that city unless they are prepared to undergo the rigors of military life. Great numbers of the inhabitants have decided to leave and all trains from Cracow are filled with men unable to perform military service, women and children.

It is estimated that 50,000 have arrived here and this number is expected to be increased to 100,000 within a few days. It was stated at the war office today that it is hoped only government officials would remain at Cracow in addition to the garrison. This is not due to belief that the Russians will reach the city, it was asserted, but in order to insure the adequacy of food.

RAIDER KARLSRUHE BLOWN UP BY CREW

Latest Story is Brought Back By Mate of the Steamer

NEW YORK, March 26.—The German raider Karlsruhe was blown up at sea and the crew have landed in Germany, according to Jesse Boyd, second mate of the American ship Carib, which was struck by a mine in the North sea. He returned today on the Holland-American liner Rotterdam.

Boyd is the last of the crew of the Carib to return to America. Before leaving Europe he was allowed to visit the German naval base at Wilhelmshaven. Here he received the information regarding the Karlsruhe and also obtained information that Germany is building huge submarines for further undersea warfare.

"I saw Lieut. Weddigen of the submarine U-9 which sank the cruisers Hogue, Cressy and Aboukir," said Boyd. "I also met members of the Karlsruhe and crew. They told me the cruiser had been blown up but would not say where. They said she had been destroyed in water where she had been most active."

FRAME-UP IS DISCOVERED

Lieutenant Convicted By Court Martial is Exonerated.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 26.—Prest Wilson Thursday exonerated Lieut. Louis Taussig, member of a prominent St. Louis family, convicted by court martial at Vera Cruz. The attorney handling the case for the family declared the evidence showed a "frame up" and will result in a shake-up of army officers. Taussig is stationed in Texas.

SUBMARINE SUNK; ALL HANDS LOST

U-29, Terror to British Ships, Has Gone Down, According to Report of Admiralty—Captain One of War's Heroes

LONDON, March 26.—The admiralty announces there is good reason to believe the submarine U-29 has been sunk with all hands.

If, as believed by the British admiralty, the U-29 has been sunk with all hands the English are rid of at last of the most destructive of all the German undersea terrors which have been preying on their shipping. On March 11 and 12 within 36 hours the U-29 sunk no less than six ships off the Scilly islands.

According to a letter from the captain of the steamer Headlands, one of the ships sunk, published by the London Daily Mail on March 13, the U-29 was commanded by Capt. Otto Weddigen, who won fame and the iron cross on the U-9 earlier in the war by sinking the British cruisers Hogue, Aboukir, Cressy and Hawke. Assuming this statement to be true and there seems to be little reason for doubting it, the loss of the U-29 "with all hands" means that Germany's most famous undersea hero has paid the penalty of his daring.

Weddigen was described by all the men on the ships which he sunk as a model of courtesy. In every case except one the crews were given an opportunity to escape before the ships were torpedoed. In one instance Capt. Weddigen offered the crew cigars and wine, and threw out a suit

of dry clothes into a boat for a seaman who had fallen into the water.

According to the captain of the Andalusian, which was torpedoed by the U-29 on March 12, Capt. Weddigen expressed regret at having to sink merchant ships, adding "It is our duty. At the same time we don't want to take civilian lives. It is the ships we want to kill, not the men." The U-29 was one of the largest, newest and best equipped of all the German submarines. She was said even to have a wireless outfit. She differed from most of the others in having a high bow which enabled her to run at great speed on the surface.

SIN DUE TO SELFISHNESS

Rev. Henry L. Davis Speaks at Epworth Memorial Church.

Selfishness was assigned as the basis of all sin, by Rev. H. L. Davis, who had charge of the revival meetings at the Epworth Memorial M. E. church Thursday evening. The speaker made the assertion that through sin, people are separated from friends and from everything else that God has given to mankind.

Rev. Frank K. Dougherty of the Grace M. E. church and Clyde Winegar, superintendent of the West Washington Street mission, will have charge of the meeting tonight. Those who have been converted at the meetings at the Ardmore school in the past two weeks will attend the services in a body.

FOUND DEAD.

RICHMOND, Va., March 26.—Dr. Thomas E. English, professor of the New Testament of the Union Theological seminary, was found dead in his study Thursday. He was a native of South Carolina and a noted evangelist. Death was due to heart disease.

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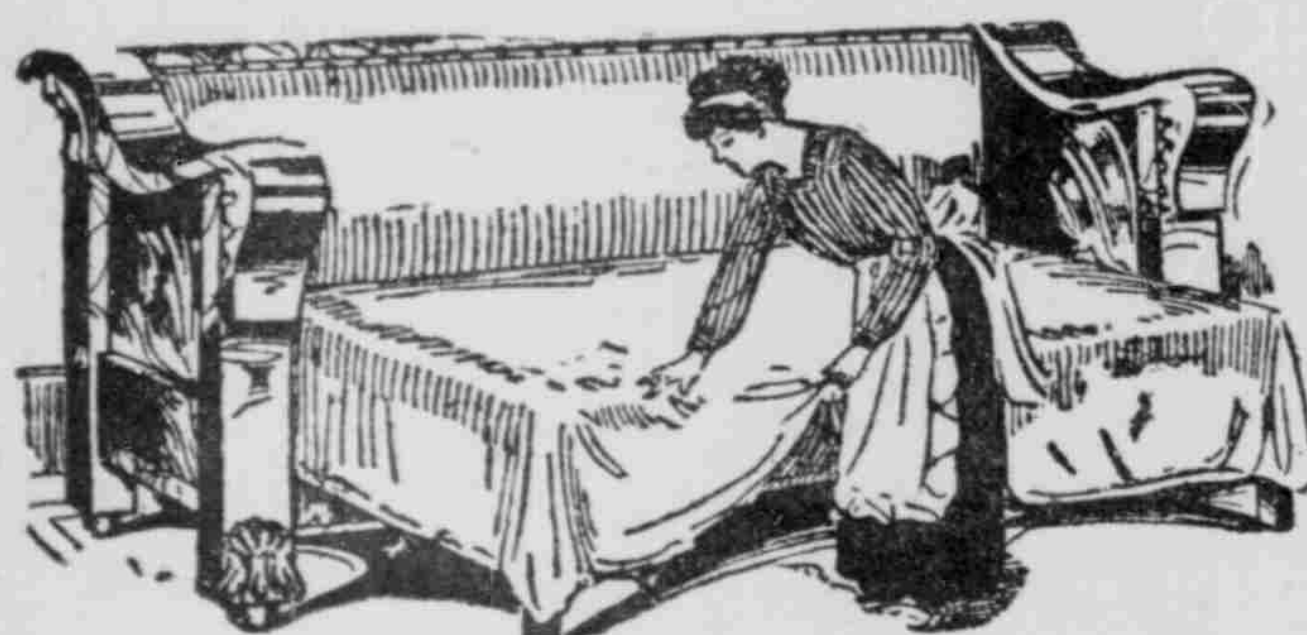
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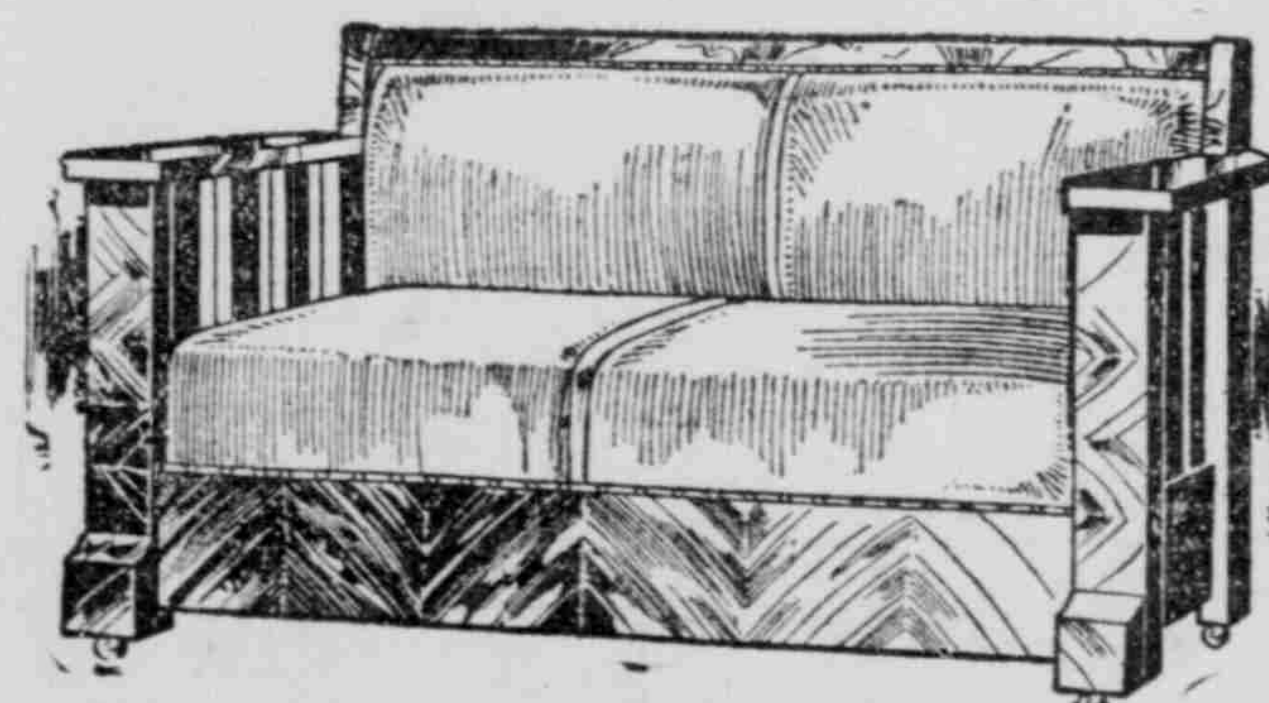
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